

House Resolution No. 69

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives recognize the significance of the institution of marriage as a vital foundation of American society and wholeheartedly believe that a successful union can be achieved only through a loving relationship of mutual honor, respect, and trust; and

Whereas, a period of five wondrous decades has passed since Terrence P. Fusselman lovingly took the hand of his beautiful bride, Mary Ann Gardner, during a solemn ceremony on December 24, 1953, at St. Pius X Church; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Terrence and Mary Ann Fusselman have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include their children, Harvey, Michael, Timothy, Patrick, David, Christopher, and Steven; and six grandchildren; and

Whereas, now retired, Terrence Fusselman has compiled an impressive record of achievement that includes working as Supervisor of Fusselman Salvage Company for nine years and owning the company for forty-two years, being a member of the Pachyderm Club, providing leadership as Republican County Committee chair and as a member of the Republican State Committee, and serving on both the Moberly School Board and the St. Pius X. School Board; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Mary Ann Fusselman further distinguished herself by working thirteen years as a State Fee Agent, a position from which she is now retired; and

Whereas, during their half century together, Terrence and Mary Ann Fusselman have cherished each other every day in sickness and in health with the love so deep in their hearts; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Fusselman commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Christmas Eve 2003 at their home in Moberly, Missouri:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Terrence and Mary Ann Fusselman and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Terrence P. Fusselman.

Offered by _____
Representative Therese Sander
District No. 22

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 69, adopted January 14, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker